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In re application of: Reinhold BERKAU, et al.  
Serial No.: 10/672,372  
Filed: September 26, 2003  
For: **COATING COMPOSITION FOR FORMING SELF-LAYERING OR SELF-COATING LACQUER SYSTEMS**

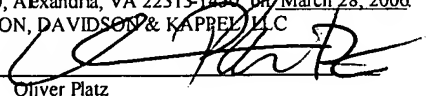
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Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Office Action (6 pages)** in the above-identified application.

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[ ] Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136  
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- ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

  
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**AMENDMENT**

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In response to the Office action mailed December 28, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated in the following pages of this paper.